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# Friend in West Texas Puts Inquiry to El Paso Paper **About Ferguson Statement**

Forum a copy of the following letter which he addressed to the El very interesting, more so since Paso Times, asking some questions one as to its position in the guberna- Ferguson of being scared

It is indeed interesting to read accuse him. your editorial of today replying, or good reason knows that Mr. Day rather commenting on the statement son has a better right to run the Honorable Jim Ferguson governor than Dan Moody. printed yesterday, as also it has reason is that he announced fir been entertaining to read several of another reason is that he has my your editorials since the announce- friends who wish to see him g ment of Governor Ferguson and Dan ernor than Moody has, and the Moody for governor.

occupy the very position you try to time and has not gone back pies, you dodge the questions and gain the nomination make haste to get off on something different, or, why do you not say Ferguson's friends have no he was supposed to have recovered beat Mrs. contractors? Jim made that plain that Mr. Ferguson is a great that Dan did not recover so much tician and dangerous to Mo tried to make out that he has but of other candidates in Moor rather it seems that Mr. Moody has favor, and then read later editor made what work that has done cost from you where you try to m the state more money than it would sport of Mr. Ferguson when he have cost had the contract been car- out with a perfectly sound, fulland political bunk?

advocated the withdrawal of Lynch | Allamore, Texas.

R. L. Southard, a good friend at Davidson in favor of Dan Mood, Allamore, Texas, has furnished the and in which you left the impres appears to me that you are of exactly the same thing you reason is, that he has come into t Interesting because you take and race in a clean way for the

However, get this straight, the something in answer to Mr. Fergutions whatever to Mr. Moody beison about Dan's big suit in which in the race for we know he can n so very much money from the road your editorials in which you star

#### ried out and the work completed, facts statement is indeed refresh know, but why can you Moody he has one bit of sense of humo boosters not come down to facts like and I admit I have to laugh som Mr. Ferguson does and give us facts times when I see as it were to go by instead of so much noise drowning man grabbing at the straw.

# Marrs Ordered by Supreme Court to Recognize Book Contracts He Objected To

Austin, Tex., March 31.—Writ of regarding the company's state deposit mandamus was granted the Ameri- tory. by the Texas Supreme court compelling S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, to recognize its six contracts for spellers and general science, worth approximately \$550,000. No evidence of fraud was found, it was stated.

Superintendent Marrs was enjoined authorities "is too apparent for around making any derogatory or damfrom making any derogatory or damaging statements regarding the validity of relator's contracts and was restrained from sending out any requisition blanks upon subjects contained and one which was not only calcu in the contracts which do not contain lated to prejudice said books in th the names of the American company's matter of requisitions for them, b books and the necessary information necessarily would have that effect."

Says Senator Parr

(From Alice Echo)

anything about it." Regarding Sid

for oil or gas.

Thieves Break Into

Jail to Get a Still

Taken by Officers

in Chat at Alice

"Oh! It'll Be Ma,"

# Klan's Stronghold in Texas is First

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n which Governor Miriam A. Fergu-

on and former Governor James E

Ferguson, clerk of the commission participated against Marrs.

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a clear discrimination against then

Dallas, Texas, April 7.-More physicians are issuing whiskey permit State Senator Archie Parr. democratic leader of Duval county, somesize in the United States, and there times referred to as the Free State are twice as many issuing doctors in When asked by an Echo represen- munication.

tative what he thought about the governor's race, he replied with a rank of American cities in amoun chuckle: "Oh, it'll be 'Ma'." When of liquor distributed here under th government issuance system. Maj. asked if they expected to beat Gar- White intimated.

He did not say what will be his on the Speaker's stand. ner for Congress, he answered with the same old chuckle: "I don't know

#### Hardin of the Lower Rio Grande Valley, who has been spoken of as a probable opponent of Mr. Garner Perfect Blonde Is for the democratic nomination, the senator said he had never met Mr. Sid Hardin and had no idea what Won by Rich Youth he intended to do. He didn't have

the least idea that the democrats would elect a democratic congress New York, April 7.-Miss Gudrun this fall and also said if they should in this country from Iceland five win a victory they wouldn't know what to do with it. Senator Parr months ago, was the bride Sunday of Gregory Nott Camp, son of is a very strong advocate of good is a very strong advocate of good roads and says Duval county will socially prominent New York family Soon after her arrival the girls and says but the same of th roads and says Duval county will have its link in the Laredo-Corpus Christi highway completely finished by next December, barring all unlooked-for accidents. The senator looked-for accidents. The senator best of the county will be the senator be conjuging the best of the county will be compared two weks to compare the senator beauty. health, although he didn't yet count himself in the oil magnate class, later she accepted his proposal. Miss Paulson accompanied Mr none of his land having been leased Camp to his parents' home a week ago and they consented to the mar-

# Earl Calloway Made Supervisor on Job

Grden City, April 7 .- Glasscock County has a good jail, but seldom Austin, Texas, April 7 .- Earl Cal-

# Should Moody Resign?

#### TO THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS:

Dan Moody is the Attorney General of Texas, elected to that high ofAgricultural Editor of Dallas Morning News and Semi-Weekly Farm News.
How J. A. Moore of Grand Prairie, Dallas County, raised fice by the people of this state. He is a candidate for governor of the State three bales of cotton on one acre and how he won the first of Texas, seeking that high office at the hands of the people of this state. He is in the middle of his first term as Attorney General. He covenanted with the people that he would devote his time and attention to the duties of the office he holds. The term of the office is two years. To enable him and others holding that office and other offices, to carry out the covenant to devote his entire time and attention to the office he holds, the people of this state established, and for fifty years have maintained the rule of giving to a state officer a second term. The corollary of that rule in office, and naturally following is, that the party accepting the first term impliedly covenants with the people to observe a second term rule as affecting them and to ton returned a net profit of \$487.43, as against two other accept a second term in the office to which he has been elected.

It is not the purpose of this article to discuss Mr. Moody's violation of delay in planting was fatal in this instance to high yields. these two established and heretofore observed rules of the democracy of this state by his refusing to accept a second term in the Attorney General's office and challenging the right of the governor to a second term in that office. I may have something to say relative to this matter at another time. The question I want to discuss here is: Should Mr. Moody, being a candidate for governor, resign the office of attorney general, which he now holds. My individual answer to that is unequivocably—that he should resign the office of attorney general since he is a candidate for governor.

The other question that suggests itself—will he resign? My personal answer to this question is, that I do not think that he will because an examination of the record will show that his present political alignment is with those who maintain the precedents of holding on to one office while running for another, thereby finding it in their hearts "to eat the peoples' bread and not to render an honest service in return therefor.'

There are two lines of precedents in this state clearly blazed between those who believe they should resign when a candidate for another office than the one held and those who believe that they should not resign when such candidates. Let us review the record and see in which camp "chance and circumstance" have placed Mr. Moody in the pending campaign.

# Should Not Hold One Office While Seeking Another On January 23rd, 1907, as shown by the House Journal, as representative of the moisture, but mixing the fertilizer. This plot was harrowed every on the Houston police force.

the textbook commission and states that Marr's letter written to school authorities "is too apparent for ar
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Week from Feb. 23 until April 27. This was done to conserve moisture, as we had no rains during this time. While in Huntsville on business. Alof the Supreme Court of Texas, Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas, or any court of Civil Appeals in Any District in Texas, or any member of the Railroad Commission of Texas, who should become a candidate subject to the action of any political affairs of the supreme Court of Texas, who should become a candidate subject to the action of any political affairs of the died.

Captain Herring was prominently of a dry dust mulch and getting the died.

Captain Herring was prominently of a dry dust mulch and getting the died. tical party, or organization, or otherwise, for any other office than that, etc." plenty of moisture in which to plant our seed and get them up. We used in Cass county, near Atlanta, Texas, (than he then held), and providing that the Governor should fill the vacancy a created by appointment.

On January 25th, I followed this bill with House Bill No. 241, which was: "An act providing that any person holding the office of Railroad Commissioner in Sales of Whiskey in this state, shall not be eligible to hold any office other than that of Railroad Commissioner until two years have elapsed after the expiration of such present term

This bill was reported favorably by the Judiciary Committee, which was f the strongest committees from the point of intelligence, integrity and pathology an one of the strongest committees from the point of intelligence, integrity and paof Duval, motored over from his ranch Wednesday and spent a few hours mingling with Alice friends. When asked by an Echo representation of Duval, motored over from his ranch Wednesday and spent a few hours mingling with Alice friends. When asked by an Echo representation of Duval, motored over from his ranch wednesday and spent a few hours mingling with Alice friends. When asked by an Echo representation of Duval, motored over from his left six to eight stalks in a hill. Later we thinned it out, leaving three stalks to the hill. This was gional prohibition director, informed a leading local physician in a composition. The composition of the city in Texas, the composition of the city in Texas. House Bill No. 241, which went direct three stalks in a hill. Later we thinned it out, leaving three stalks to the hill. This was gional prohibition director, informed a leading local physician in a composition of the city in Texas. House Bill No. 241, which went direct three stalks to the hill. This was gional prohibition director, informed a leading local physician in a composition of the city in Texas. House Bill No. 241, which went direct three stalks to the hill. This was gional prohibition director, informed a leading local physician in a composition of the city in Texas. House Bill No. 241, which went direct three stalks to the hill. This was gional prohibition director, informed a leading local physician in a composition of the city in Texas. House Bill No. 241, which went direct three stalks to the hill. This was gional prohibition director, informed a leading local physician in a composition of the city in Texas. House Bill No. 241, which went direct three stalks in a hill. Later we thinned it out, leaving three stalks to the hill. This was gional prohibition director, informed a leading local physician in a composition of the city in Texas. out the ideas of Governor Hogg on the Subject, was favorably reported and recom-Dallas is taking a place in the front mended to pass and become a law by the committee on State affairs, which was a ones.

After June 8 we had no more rain end of the Campbell administration committee composed of men of distinguished ability. These two bills died on the calendar because they were not reached in the large number of bills which piled up was kept busy, and at no time al-

> Those approving reports of these two committees as clearly show what the sentiment of the House was on this subject as if the bills had become the law. The five inches deep and at the same and was reappointed in 1917. fact is, the only suggested argument of opposition to these bills was that it might be construed as a "Reflection" on two gentlemen—one a railroad commissioner and the other an Appellate Judge, who had then lately been candidates for Governor Georgia stock and twenty-two-inch while holding their respective offices and drawing pay from the people.

So firmly and clearly was this thought and principle established in the minds of the people of Texas that in 1910 when he became a candidate for Governor of Texas, then the Attorney General of Texas, Hon. R. V. Davidson, resigned the office of Attorney General and in doing so said that he could not conscientiously was breaking the limbs and doing pared with the receipt for the same make the race for Governor and hold on to the office he had, because he "couldn't protects Feeder" find it in his heart to eat the people's bread and not to render an honest service Feb. 8, at the Yale Junior Prom she met Mr. Camp, and two weks therefor," and he surrendered that office back to the people who had honored him. at an angle of about 45 degrees back so that they would slide over the into account the transfers. General

When Judge M. M. Brooks became a candidate for Governor of Texas, he break the feeder roots of the plants, as these roots grow two or three school fund \$13,554, 005: available for Governor of Texas, he break the feeder roots of the plants, as these roots grow two or three school fund \$18,675, and miscellanewas a member of the Court of Criminal Appeals of this State and secure in the position which he held. He was a clean, able, honorable man and recognized the force of these Committee's reports, and endorsed the sentiment in these bills and resignated the control of these committee's reports, and endorsed the sentiment in these bills and resignated the control of these committee's reports, and endorsed the sentiment in these bills and resignated the control of the country of the limbs do above it.

Aug. 31, we noticed signs of boll weevil and dusted with calcium are sent and lime (two and a half tax board fixed the tax rate at the ed as a member from the Court of Criminal Appeals at the time he entered the race for Governor. Later in a subsequent campaign Judge Wm. Ramsey was on senate). Stanberry Resigned

the Supreme Court of this State, secure in the position which he held, enjoyed the Supreme Court of this State, secure in the position which he held, enjoyed the Supreme Court of this State, secure in the position which he held, enjoyed the Supreme Court of this State accounts for a substantial part of the increase and the suprementation of the substantial part of the increase and has largely improved the condition of the State finances.

The sum of \$2,548, 327 which has the substantial part of the substantia Lused. No prisoner has ever broken out but Sheriff Lemons discovered that it had been broken into, four heavy bars on lower window were severed and a large copper still taken in a recent raid was missing.

Austin, 1948, 317 which has a good jan, but sented to severe broken of the such office he out she severed and a large copper still taken in a recent raid was missing.

Austin, 1948, 327 which has been deposited to the suspense account the suspense account the precedents set by Brooks and Davidson, endorsed the sentiment exploration of the State Railroad to twelve pounds of this mixture on this acre at each dusting the dusting from 2 to 4 a. m., as it was very dry and we had no dew was very dry and we h

# Story of How J. A. Moore of Dallas County Won the First Crop Record Prize

ize in the crop record contest in the 1925 "More Cotton on Acres" contest will be told in the following article

Mr. Moore has farmed in Dallas County more than twenty-He is superintendent of agriculture of the State Fair of Texas and was at one time county farm demonstration ent of Dallas County. He has been a successful farmer rears and is progressive. His crop record should prove value to other farmers. The state cotton contest comthesitatingly awarded him the \$200 prize for the most luable information contributed last season

loore's crop record is a business like report on his operation. Such a record will enable farmers to know ore leaves nothing out of his record, with the result that a clear idea as to what it costs to raise cotton.

t is interesting to note that one acre of Mr. Moore's cotacres planted at the same time returning a net profit of only \$573.04, or \$286.52 per acre, while two acres planted on June 5 gave a profit of only \$21.74 per acre. Two months'

Mr. Moore's land was sandy loam bottom. Moore's Full Report.

a two-horse A harrow, followed these men and went twice to the row, not

bushel of seed to the acre, and by tist clergyman, and was educated in May 6 we had a fine stand of cot- the public schools.

Replants Two Acres

wed to run more than one and a cantile pursuits. two-horse A harrow, before planting, States Marshal for the Southern Distime working our seed bed and mix-

June 15, we plowed the cotton Receipts of State ing the fertilizer. buzzard wing sweep. This was the only plowing the cotton had, but it was harrowed every week with ne-horse. A harrow until July 20 of the rows so much we decided it

Protects Feeder Roots

#### Capt. S. G. Granberry Named for Herring's Place on Commission

back on the buster furrow with He came here from Madisonville

He is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters, all of whom

one-seed Ledbetter planter, one November 21, 1863, the son of a Bap-

In 1892 he was appointed sergeant of the convict farms under the State

We then had two or three weeks of rain and were not able to get back into the field until June 5, when we replanted two acres; har-rowed and chopped the other three ring farm, which is now a part of the State prison system and is known as

> Under appointment of Gov. T. M. Campbell, Capt. Herring served as

In 1913 he was appointed United was putting its teeth down four to trict of Texas by President Wilson,

# Treasury Show Big Gains Over 1925

Austin, Tex., April 7.—State comptroller S. H. Terrell, has issued a statement showing total receipts from when it was lapping in the middle all sources for the month of March, 1926, as being \$19,467, 641, as com-

period one year ago of \$13,998, 647. The above collections represent the The teeth of the harrow were set at an angle of about 45 degrees back for this period, and does not taken times as fast under the ground as ous funds including State highway

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## LEWELLING REPLIES TO TOM LOVE

(Communication in Dallas News, April 5, 1926)

Thomas B. Love replies to my charge that he is planning co-operation with the Republican party of Texas in 1926 as he did in 1924, when he and the klan knifed the Democratic ticket, not by making denial of my assertions, but by saying that he is opposed to Mrs. Ferguson having a fourth term, and that he has decided to oppose the Fergusons to the limit, by which he means that he or any other so-called Democrat can go into a primary and take the pledge, "I am a democrat and will support the nominees of this primary," and then treat it as a mere scrap of paper. It is quite evident also from this statement that he thinks little of the political right of women as he seeks to deny Mrs. Ferguson, a second term because several years ago her husband held the office for one term and a small part of another term. Mr. Love's offense in unjustly seeking to deprive Mrs. Ferguson of a second term according to Democratic custom is aggravated by his inaccurate statement that she is running for a fourth term, especially in view of the fact that he served three terms in the legislature, the last as speaker, and is now seeking a fourth term in the upper house of that body. Even if the terms of the Fergusons were added together his statement is still wholly untrue. Also, Tom, is it not strange that you never worried about the Wilson family getting a third term as president when you twice supported McAdoo, who had given you a job?

Now, Tom, I deny your assertion that I have ever bolted a Democratic ticket. Mayfield's name was not on the ballot at the November election of 1922 so far as Dallas county was concerned and in the space reserved for voters I expressed my choice under the Democratic column. In 1924 while you admit you were with the Republican-klan combine in knifing the Democratic State ticket I went to the polls and voted the nees in Dallas county. In other words, as to the local klan nominees in Dallas county. In other words, as to the local klans mee here who had been nominated I took my medicine like a struggle for re-election? Would not a four-year term of office afford the voters more ample time to recover from the confidence of the confi men here who had been nominated I took my medicine like a good boy, but you got mad at the head of the ticket, who was down to a more sane consideration of men and measures? anti-klan, and fought, like a spoiled child, and the medicine you and fought off your Republican and klan allies.

But Tom says that Jim Ferguson has bolted the ticket There you are again, Tom, mistreating the women politically by charging everything Jim has done up to his wife. When did Mrs. Ferguson bolt the ticket, Tom? I assert she has never bolted the Democratic ticket, not even when her husband ran for President. But if Jim is such a bolter, you are the most apt pupil I ever saw, as you have determined to play "both ends against the middle," and if you can not win in the primary ing the democratic ticket in 1924 Tom B. Love, of Dallas, now carry the fight on to November. Why should you hate a man under whose alleged example you have acquired far more proficiency in the art of bolting than you ever charged him with, and why should you vent your political spleen on the head of shows how his memory is failing. In his attempted justifihis wife who has never bolted? You have notified the party cation of his bolting a regular democratic nominee Love re-

stories to the effect that in 1916 Tom Love endeavored to party and all its nominees and ran for pesident on the American agreement with Jim Ferguson whereby Ferguson can party ticket."

hibition. While I have been a consistent prohibitionist all my bition in Texas. This she has done, but because you say her writer in motion. husband used to be an anti she should be defeated. Again you show your ideas of political justice to the women of Texas. You say that I once indorsed Jack Walton and Jim Fer

guson. I did indorse Walton's heroic fight against the klan, also that of Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, a thing you had not the political courage to do and a thing you have not the political

courage now to make an issue.

In conclusion, let me say that I am glad to see you admit that Ferguson had you in mind when Ferguson said in his Forum: "Texas politicians, all Democrats have not the pride of a jackass or the decency of a skunk." I did not know until your admission exactly whom Ferguson was talking about, but I thank you for your frankness. I knew all the time that Ferguson would never say such a thing about me, but exactly whom he meant I never knew until your admission. DWIGHT L. LEWELLING.

Dallas, Texas.

# ASKS DAN'S OPINION

The Fayette County Record, published at La Grange, asks
Dan his opinion on the answer made to his attack by Jim Fer"Every democrat in Dallas county, would be justified in guson and puts its question in these words:

The reply of James E. Ferguson to Daniel J. Moody in argument against him. Sunday's papers proved to be too big a load for Daniel. When asked by a reporter for an Austin paper for a statement, Farming as follows: Daniel said he had nothing to say, that Jim just wanted an argument, that was all. Well, we think Jim put up a pretty come back into the 1926 democratic primary but offer themgood argument, don't you Daniel?"

Send us a subscriber for the Forum for the campaign. on these things." Only \$1.00 until January 1.

The three bandits who raided a woman's poker game in New York and raked in a pot of \$1,000 evidently thought the ladies needed a lesson in quick action.

Earl Carroll, theatrical producer, who celebrated the ad-cedent in Texas." It seems that way. mission of Countess Cathcart into the United States with a party at which a chorus girl swam in a bathtub of wine while his guests sipped the liquid, has been indicted for perjury in connection with the affair and the subsequent grand jury

A court decision has been handed down declaring that the Ku Klux Klan of Georgia is sole owner, proprietor and controller of the word "Klan." That's all right, the word fits the gang which claims it and if the court records which have been made in connection with klan litigation are true nobody will wish to claim the word.

copies but judging from the increasing demand for copies we did not print enough. That issue furnished the voters of Texas something to think about and they are thinking and reading as well. Subscribe now and get the Forum for the whole campaign and up to Ispuary 1 next year for \$1.00. The Forum of last week issued a large number of extra whole campaign and up to January 1 next year for \$1.00.

The Forum is in receipt of Volume 1, Number 1, of the Valley Morning Telegram, published at McAllen, but devoted to the development and interests of the entire. "Magic Valley Morning Telegram as complainant and saw the mothers and they smiled back to the development and interests of the entire."

The Forum is in receipt of Volume 1, Number 1, of the Tombs court before Magistrate Flood. Miss Wilson smiled reassuringly at the woman not development and interests of the entire. "Magic Vallege Morning Telegram, published at McAllen, but devoted as complainant and saw the mothers and they smiled back to the mothers and they smiled back."

To Buy Quarantine Stations. to the development and interests of the entire. "Magic Valley." The first issue is one of twenty pages, filled with excellent news and editorial matter and abundant advertising which indicates that the business men of the Valley are really interested in making the publication a success. James Marion Bird is listed as editor and publisher, with N. C. Robinson as business manager.

To Buy Quarantine Stations.

Washington, April 3.—The senate the pardon to Pollman; with Miss Wilson to five Clugston, business man device to the conversation when Russell Davis, son of the government of the pardon to Pollman; with Miss Wilson to Pollman; with Miss Wilson to five Clugston, business man device to the conversation when Russell Davis, son of the government of the pardon to Pollman; with Miss wilson to Pollman; was the mothers and they smiled back at her. But the Magistrate was not to the two mothers and they smiled back at her. But the Magistrate was not to the boys weeping. She went over the boys weeping. She went over the boys weeping. She went over the form of the pardon to Pollman; was the mothers of the boys weeping. She went over the form of the pardon to Pollman; was the mothers and they suits of the two mothers and they suits, son of the government of the pardon to Pollman; was the mothers and they suits, son of the government of the pardon to Pollman; was the mothers and their contents at the two mothers and their contents at the two mothers and their contents at the two mothers and the two suits at her. But the Magistrate was not the two device to the conversation when Russell Davis, son of the government of the pardon of the satisfied with Miss Wilson to Pollman; was conversed to the conversation when the case was called by the satisfied with Miss Wilson to Pollman; was conversed to the two mothers and the two satisfied to the wood of the satisfied with Miss Wilson to Pollman; was conversed to the two of the two of the two of

### "PULLED TOO SOON"

The Quanah Times evidently agrees with the statement that Dan has been "pulled too soon" and says he is "not enough seasoned to be governor of Texas." This is the way

the Times regards the candidacy of Dan for governor:

"Dan Moody is a young man and one in whom the people of Texas could place much trust. They have done so. He has made good but it has "gone to his head." He is perhaps seeing more than what is actually on the horizon. He has had the Magistrate.

"You see?" said the Magistrate.

"They need a lesson." so many people call him Moses he is probably beginning to

"The coming campaign is going to be a bitter one. promises, according to opinions of experts, to be the hottest pursued Magistrate Flood, "they will crediting human laws, Senator Bruce hibition." n the history of the state. With only one year of his first erm behind him as a background for his campaign, Dan Moody is not enough seasoned to be governor of Texas. He Wilson replied, 'is the lesson of kindnas probably allowed his antagonism of the Fergusons, together with the solicitation of his friends and the inherent ambition of youth to urge him over-much. He has taken a step too far. He has made a fine record but he is liable to older people who know the difference get that reputation and that name besmirched a little before the primary is over. He should have remained in his present office for another term and by that time he would have gained such prestige that by another four years he could have asked for almost anything.

# THINKS ELECTIONS TOO FREQUENT Sale of Malt Tonic

In a communication to the press W. E. Cox, an old time democrat of Waxahachie, offers a suggestinon which, in his riew, will relieve the voters of the turmoil and annoyance of iennial elections and several primaries every two years.

Mr. Cox submits the following as his plan for relief:
Though fully realizing how loath the people usually are to change those things recognized as fundamental, may one not, notwithstanding this public attitude, be pardoned for a specific and a manufacture of the constitution as suggesting such amendments to our state Constitution as onditions seem to warrant.

Since the adoption of our present state Constitution resolutions have been introduced in the legislature providing for four-year tenure of office instead of the present constituional limit of two years. The business man and conservative men in all the vocations, with the possible exception of politic- there are no state laws that would gard of the constitution and law. ians, have learned to look forward to our biennial struggles prohibit sale of the "health booster. for office with more dread than pleasure. One election is barely passed before plans are made for another campaign.

the effects of a frequently acrimonious campaign and settle

If these thoughts find favor with readers of The Forum had to be poured down your throat while the Democrats held it is the hope of the writer that they may discuss the proposal with their friends, neighbors and in the press

Waxahachie, Texas.

## HIS FAILING MEMORY

In his attempt to answer Dwight Lewelling upon his bolta candidate for state senator upon a platform that he will sought the opinion of L. C. Gunder vote the democratic ticket if his choice is nominated, othervote the democratic ticket if his choice is nominated, otherwise he will gang up again with the Klux-Butte republicans, cation of his bolting a regular democratic nominee Love rein advance that you intend to apply the double-cross in event vou lose. The double-cross in event party ticket, and says that after "participating in the demo-I furthermore assert that all the daily papers carried cratic primaries in Texas, Jim Ferguson bolted the democratic

reach an agreement with Jim regulation and Love should go as delegate to the St. Louis convention and Love should be elected national committeeman. Ferguson became personant that successful the same personant to the strength of the issue of the sevent of the issue of the sevent of the issue of the sevent of the issue of the issu

life you were an anti until the tide turned. You fought Mrs. Ferguson in 1920 came into the democratic house as a guest Ferguson in the November election, when she made a declaration that she was a prohibitionist, and would maintain prohi- paign. But facts bother Tom Love little when he sets his type-

Instead of Dwight Lewelling having "forgotten that Jim Ferguson in 1920 came into the democratic house as a guest sufficials of the Origanization, in officials of the Origanization, including F. Scott McBridge, general paign. But facts bother Tom Love little when he sets his type-writer in motion.

SUPPOSE TOM IS GIVEN A DOSE OF HIS OWN MEDICINE?

The Baird Star, edited and published by W. E. Gilliland, a democrat of unquestioned loyalty and unchallenged honor, comments upon the candidacy of Tom Love and suggests that if Tom is given a dose of his own medicine he will have no just cause for complaint. The Istar says:

"Tom Love, of Dallas, is a candidate for the state senate and on of his pleas for election is that he bolted the party two years ago, and voted against Mrs. Ferguson and is proud derstand it Love, who has been honored with office by the democratic party in Texas, and the untion, went into the proposed in a static particle of the Volstead law, but refers of the Origanization, including F. Scott McBridge, general counsel, described it as "a money and indication in cluding F. Scott McBridge, general counsel, described it as "a money and indicate on the state senate and military in the state of the original way in the say of the which will lead to multiplied violations of the law to multiplied v democratic party in Texas, and the nation, went into the primary and because his choice was defeated for governor, he voted for the republican nominee, Butte. Admitting that conditions might arise that a democrat could not conscien- large quantities." ciously vote for some nominee; yet he has no right to expect

'Every democrat in Dallas county, would be justified in voting against Tom Love if he is nominated, using his own

To the same effect is the editorial comment of Fletcher's

"If the 1924 bolters to Butte are permitted not only to selves for the party's favor—ala Tom Love—what will bind' people to the party's pledges in view of the precedent they Keepers of the party's camp fires will do well to think

Reading the Forum is one of the things the voters of

Fletcher's Farming says the "signs of the times indicate that this is an unlucky year to go against democratic pre-

# Woodrow Wilson's Daughter Shows Mercy to Youths Who Had Robbed Her Apartment

Woodrow Wilson, daughter of the youths War President, saved from the toils "No, I think not," she said

New York, April 7.-Miss Margaret a burglary complaint against the

122 Macdougal street, and Anthony My property back and a conviction against them would stand for a lifeman; Eugene N. "Dick" Smith, mangal street, were to be arraigned in time. I want them to have a clean aging editor of the Kansas City Post;

her and that the prisoners had admit ted breaking open the door of the partment while Miss Wilson was out of the city.

Then records were produced to show pended sentence and that the other

They need a lesson. "I think they have had a lesson,"

said Miss Wilson.
"If they are not prosecuted now,

not learn their lesson."

"The best lesson for them," them. No. They probably belong to between right and wrong."

The boys were discharged by Magis with the two.

"I am sure you will go straight, if given the chance," she told them.

# Causes Stir But It Is Not Much Drink

ent of alcohol and its resemblance mains to be seen. Some think it will and some think it won't, while others are waiting to be shown just how

Despite the opinion of James E. number of state law officers, in he west and south especially, share he skepticism expressed by Andrew Volstead, father of the federal rohibition act, and now legal ad-

offices at St. Paul, Minn. Frank Mash, assistant attorney eneral of North Carolina, went fur her than most of the state offi ials, asserting that "the sale ny drug store undertaking to sell will be violating the state law." less definite attitude but one and Oklahoma, while wholesale druggists in Utah and Colorado want rulings from their state attorneys general before making any commit-ments and those in Wisconsin have

Some druggists, at least, are no enthusiastic over the action Assistant Secretary Andrews of the treasury, in permitting manufacture secretary of the Ohio pharmaceutieal association, it will threaten the

malt tonic would not violate the of the customs hous spirit or letter of the Volstead law,

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#### Suit for \$5,000,000 Is Filed at Topeka By Former Governor

Topeka, Kans., April 5.—Suits ask-

defendants are Walter S. Dickey, publisher of the Kansas City Journal-Post and a number of individuals. The suits are an outgrowth of the trials of the ex-governor on charges f accepting bribes for paroles and pardons which followed the publication of a copyrighted article in the Kansas City Journal-Post, January 0, 1925, purporting to expose cor uption of the pardon power by Gov

nor Davis. The petition was filed with the erk of the District court by Randal arvey, a member of Mr. Davis' counin the trial at which the ex-govrnor was acquitted Saturday night. t named as principal defendant. Glenn A. Davis, ex-convict whose sentence in the penitentiary was commuted by Governor Davis and who testified last week that he acted as "go-between" in the alleged deal for the sale of a pardon by the governor

# Wets Open Battle On Drys and Senator Bruce Tells Failures of Prohibition

democrat, of Maryland, declared today in opening the case for the wets cars to transfer to Atlanta the conat public hearings before a senate victed policemen and prohibition

ment to permit government manufac-ture and sale of liquors in those states Amendment, Senator Bruce brought a scathing indictment against the Vol-

cent recreations as smoking and danc-

"It has for the first time brought Washington, April 7.—Whether the church deeply in to politics.

"It has been the church deeply in to politics.

"It has established a settled commerce between worthier and the uno the outlawed beer, will be saleable worthiest members of the community. respectable world above it.

"It is responsible for the unprecepleasant it is to take in beverage dented phenomonon of thousands and obnoxious to a powerful popular thousands of reputable men and sentiment, than has the federal gov-women, including ministers of the ernment in its relations to the Vol-Jones, director of prohibition, that law itself, living in habitual disre-

"It has tended to bring all laws including itself, into moldis repute. "It has displaced the temperate.

fiery pocket flask.
';'It has fostered deceit, perfidy. espionage and tyranny, in some of dictment of the Volstead act. their meanest and most hateful as-

"It has lowered the prestige of the federal government."

Asserting that "worst of all is the ator Walsh, "I have to leave for a extent to which the federal service while. of has been defiled by corruption from the federal enforcement unit

Washington, April 5.—Prohibition tions of state and municipal police, has had no effect, on the whole, except that of blighting human happi-ness debasing human marels and dis ness, debasing human morals and dis-

"Last year it took two Pullman agents corralled in a single round Appearing in support of his amend- up in Ohio," the senator added

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"In May, 1925, a special grand jury in Moris county, New Jersey, was reported in the press as returnore the ratification of the Eighteenth ing at one time twenty-eight indict ments against county officers and ohers for violations of the Volstead

"The Volstead act," he said, "has statistics to show the increasing num-placed human happiness in more than ber of violations of the prohibition one vital particular under the irritat-law each year. These showed that ing and harassing domination of a arrests by federal officers had sour, corrosive and narrow-minded mounted from 34,175 in 1921, to ouritanism, which does not hesitate 62,747 in 1925, while reports from police chiefs in twelve cities record ed in almost every instance a steadily mounting number of persons arrested from drunkenness from year

to year. Disagreeing with those who contend that the federal government "It has created an underworld al-effectively, he declared that "never most as thoroughly organized as the in the history of free institutions has any government more pertinac-

stead act. The little hearing room was packed and corridores outside were crowded to hundreds more. Govern-"It has transferred distilling and ment officials, senators, congressmen, brewing operations from the dis-tillery and brewery to the home. bishops and ministers were in the audience. There were some disorder audience. There were some disorder at the start but quiet fell after refreshing glass of beer with the Chairman Means threatened to clear the room. Senator Bruce started the hearing off by reading a 43 page in-

> Before Senator Bruce had gone ery far, he was interrupted by

"Certainly," replied Senator Bruce, watchful waiting, was taken by the law officers of Washington, Oregon, as to the number of men dismissed anyhow." Senator Walsh joined in the

#### Arms Intended For Mexican Rebels Are Seized in New York

for corruption; pointed to convic- laughter

New York, April 7.—Charged with arms and ammunition from the United | decades ago, has dwindled to three. states to Mexico, three members of the Ward line freighter Cauto were the Ward line freighter were the Ward line freighter

Mr. Busch described it as "a non- They pulled off his blanket and he its line of 18 miles. this tends to make it unpalatable in armed and handcuffed and a search for a number of years. was then begun which resulted in deficit up to September 30, 1925 was location of the ammunition, which given as \$200,647. vas of .32, .38 and .44 caliber.

knowledge of the attempted violaion of the proclamation.

But for an error, the special ser-

ice squad believed that it would have made a much larger haul Under the mistaken impression tha the boat sailed at daylight, the rai ing \$5,000,000 damages were filed in Shawnee County District court today by counsel for former Governor Jonamight have done if they had known nan M. Davis, alleging criminal lib- the correct sailing time, member el and malicious prosecution. The of the squad expressed the belief that

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#### Robber Trailed By Oklahoma Woman Is Glad to Drop Loot

Chelsea, Okla., April 7.—A house robber was routed by a woman and forced to give up his loot Friday af-

The robber had entered the Clayton The robber had entered the Clayton chauffeur in a speedy flight. As home, robbing it of valuable jewelry officers entered the house, a man and silverware. After the man had who had been in a room with the gone, Mrs. Clayton grabbed a rifle girl, leaped through a window and from a closet and started in pursuit. escaped. A half mile from the house, she overtook the robber, training the gun their home here yesterday was re-on him, she demanded that he drop leased after he furnished a flawhis loot. The man, taken by surprise, less alibi. dropped the valuables and fled down

#### Three Hoary Old Men Only Survivors of 84 in "Last Man Club"

Stillwater, Minn., April 3.—The riolation of the president's proclama- Last Man's club, with a roster of 34 tion forbidding the exportation of of Minnesota Civil war veterans four

Operations of the road, the comintoxicating beverage," since "it con-tains 25 per cent of malt solids and volver in his hand. He was dis-mission found, have been unprofitable

Abandonment of the road was op-The Cauto was permitted to sail in posed by the attorney general of Texhe afternoon for Vera Cruz. Offias, The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton cials of the Ward line disclaimed any association, The Dixie Gasoline company, The Chamber of Commerce and citizens of Brownwood, and citizens of May, the other terminus of the line

#### Woman Under Arrest In Connection With Garland Bank Raid

Dallas, Tex., April 5.—Charges of being accessory to robbery with firearms were filed today against Ellie Steifer, 24, arrested Thursday night during the search here for the lone, unmasked man who robbed a Garland bank of about \$5,000, and escaped into Dallas after an automobile crash on the outskirts.

J. M. Reid, 30 year old automobile salesman, said to be a friend of he girl was charged with robbery of the bank in a complaint filed Saturday, after he had called officers Friday, declaring he was inno-

forced to give up his loot Friday af-ter robbing the home of Mrs. S. W. searching for the robber, who after Clayton, the wife of a Chelsea den- the car accident, held up a truck driver and made him an unwilling

A man arrested with his wife at

Blanton Has Opposition Austin, Tex., April 3.-Judge J. E

Smith, chief deputy game, fish and

official

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# Should Moody Resign?

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these great men could find it in their hearts to "eat the people's bread and not render an honest service therefor."

Washington, April 7.—A relatively light infestation of cotton boll wevils in the southwestern states and Texas and medium to heavy infestations in the Missispipi valley territory, except Louisiana is indicated by the Texas Safe for the other two acres of early cotton had blooms July 7. The two acres of late cotton had blooms July 26. The blooms correspond practically to the thirty are described and their acres of late cotton had blooms July 26. The blooms correspond practically to the thirty are described and the intraction of cotton boll wevils to beware the boll wevil this year was issued today by the Texas Safe for the two acres of early cotton had blooms July 26. The blooms correspond practically to

that Mr. Moody should resign. The distinguished gentlemen named and their accomplishments, all of which are a part of the history of this State made these precedents and that ought to carry a persuasive force as strong as written law.

Now there are precedents on the other side of this question—as the lawyers say: "controverting authority." Who made these precedents? The first outstanding character to challenge the soundness of the sentiment in these bills and the precedents quoted was Hon. O. B. Colquitt. In 1902 he ran for Rail
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cedents quoted was Hon. O. B. Colquitt. In 1902 he ran for Railroad Commissioner In 1906, while holding that office, he ran for Governor. In 1908 he ran for Railroad Commissioner and in 1910 he ran for Governor. In a period of eight years, while holding a State office of the greatest magnitude he made four races for office—two to succeed himself and two for Governor, and insofar as the record discloses he never missed a meal at the people's table—bread and all.

The other man who lends "force and dignity" to the Colquitt precedent is the holding that office, like a child playing "puss wants the corner" with the offices of the people of this State, he held on to the one which he had—sought other offices and finally he eventuated into the United States Senate. We must, at least, admire the acrobatic ability of the distinguished gentlemen who established this line of precedents. They never turned loose one ring as they swung until they had a secure hold on the ring which they sought.

Now I am not unmindful that Mr. Moody will say that he will not resign be cause the vacancy created would be filled by Governor Ferguson, and that he is unbeinted stream. The two time the coltra substantial the same and south carbon for the mission of new points that the intuition of the contrast remains the same and the people's table.—bread and all.

In contrasting these figures with the department declares that the time the contrast tename to that the lineation of the time the department of the time the department of the time the department declares that the time the department of the time the contrast tename to the time the department of the time the department declares that the fine time that the fine time that the fine time the department declares that the fine that the fine time the department declares that the fine that the fine time that the fine time the time the department of the time the department of the time the department of the time the c

unwilling for her to name his successor. That may be a reason satisfying to Mr. Moody-because he draws the pay-"eats the bread," but it won't satisfy the Cotton Crop Raised thoughtful citizen. This reason would be an excuse and not a justification. It would admit that it is wrong to hold on to his present office and run for Governor, else he would find a reason why he should not resign, other than the excuse suggested.

Governor Ferguson is Governor of this State by the choice of its people. She which sold for \$693,134, George B. Terell. Commissioner of Agriculture, announced Saturday. State discovery than in all history. Not one lynching in Texas in 1925, the first since records have been kept—1882. No insane persons in jail. All warrants in full. All schools in fine condition. Not one citizen killed by rangers. Penifer y system paying and out of debt. All State Departments functioning splengers are state. In other words, State government and State in fine condition."

Then again if to meet a sound public sentiment Mr. Moody's resignation is needed and he objects to resigning for the reasons stated, then he ought not to fine the classes of Agrandad for \$693,134, George B. Terrell. Commissioner of Agriculture, announced Saturday. State diseases March 12 classed 9,082 bales with 1,418 unsold. A premium of frame, announced Saturday. State diseases March 12 classed 9,082 bales with 1,418 unsold. A premium of frame, announced Saturday. State diseases March 12 classed 9,082 bales with 1,418 unsold. A premium of frame, announced Saturday. State diseases March 12 classed 9,082 bales with 1,418 unsold. A premium of frame, until the sold for \$69,001 and uncerthed two more coins.

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The Molinos got a team and a ginned Nov. 18, with the same process as the first lot.

The ore acre had at this ginning 1,674 pounds seed cotton, 582 pounds directed on the search and an decayed hand bag was found buried of the class-car's work.

The ore acre had at this ginning 1,674 pounds seed cotton, or season produced 759 carloads or ribbon cane which sold for \$679,600 to sold it held a small for tune. Most of the coins were dated throw on has executed the laws. In the language of another: "There is more money in the State Treasury than in all history. Not one lynching in Texas in 1925, the first year since records have been kept—1882. No insane persons in jail. All warrants paid in full. All schools in fine condition. Not one citizen killed by rangers. Penitentiary system paying and out of debt. All State Departments functioning splendidly. More good roads than ever before. No martial law declared anywhere in the State. In other words, State government and State in fine condition."

demanded and he objects to resigning for the reasons stated, then he ought not to for a total of \$493,400. have made that resignation necessary by becoming a candidate. He should have kept R. H. Burney, for 22 his covenant with the people.

Again it is not up to Mr. Moody to say who shall or shall not fill a vacancy when it happens in the Attorney General's office. That contingency was provided for by the people in their constitution and no man in or out of office should either appeal from nor override the Constitution of this State.

For the reasons above stated I unhesitatingly state that Mr. Moody should resign from the office which he now holds. If his alignment—his political alignment—is with those who established the precedents against such resignation then fu he will not resign. His resigning might not negative such alignment. His holding on to the office which he holds and continuing to run for Governor of this State will necessarily establish in the minds of thoughtful men that such alignment has been made, whether "by chance and circumstances or design," by Mr. Moody and his supporters. Will he resign? Let us wait. Pass the Bread.

Austin, Texas, April 2, 1926.

T. H. McGREGOR.

#### Browning Finds His Latest Cinderella Affair Under Probe

Browning, wealthy real estate operator, has found his latest Cinder-and parties. The term of her ab-

The children's society has begun way. an investigation of his relations with Detectives seeking the acid thrower, 15 year old Frances ("Peaches") questioned friends of Frances in the Heenan whom he has intimated he will marry as soon as she be-

comes 16 next June.

Frances is recovering from acid thrown in her face while she slept in her mothers home last Saturday.

Browning is 57 and divorced his wife in 1923.

Where Browning het her. Jeanousy may have been the motive for the attack, police say.

The Phi Lamda Tau Sorority is also under investigation by the Children's Society, because of Browning's interest in it. Browning has

the courts if this proves necessary," pins, sent them flowers and attendsaid Vincent Pisarra, Secretary and Superintendent of the society. "A gray haired man more than fifty years old takes a little school girl out for night width the school girl out for night width the school girl out for night width." out for night rides in an automobile and takes her to dances-all this without a proper guardian, it is time that something was done

closely after that started by the police to learn who threw the acid, and another by the board of education, which wants an explanation of Erances long absence from classes, taroum with a knife wound near his She was a student at the Textile high heart

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school for girls, but has not attend- Hawkins is Candidate ed classes since last fall.

A school investigator was once nformed at the Heenan home that the girl had been sent away to re cuperate from pneumonia. Browning, nowever, admitted that during her atla venture beset from three quar-ters.

wife in 1923. "We will hale Mr. Browning into said he gave the girls their sorority

# Is Held for Death of Wife's Father

The new investigation developed Houston, Texas, April 6.—W. F. county judge and, for 16 years, a closely after that started by the Schultz, 67, of Houston, was fatally district judge; and also to the citi

Miller has been charged with murder filed before Justice of the Peace Campbell Overstreet and is under uard at the hospital.

Judge Overstreet, who likewise held he inquest, took testimony from Mrs. titta Schultz Miller, divorced wife of the wounded man, and from Mrs. Schultz, widow of the dead man.

ave the hospital, it was said.

meir children.

Miller asked her, she said, to talk

Ramsey's election was on nomina

with him for a little while. time the door opened and father came in," she said. "Mr. Miller made to name as temporary secretary for lunge at him and hit him with his ist and knocked father several feet. of the deceased secretary, but the Then father came at him with a knife was defeated. However, later R. B. and Mr. Miller shot twice. Father Walthall of the board said, the intensity of the board said, the intensity of the board said. walked around the room a few section is to give Mrs. Carter a clerical onds and said 'he's killed me,' and position.

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# To Retain Place on Appeals Court Bench

Austin, Tex., April 7.-Judge F. I Austin, Tex., April 7.—Judge F. L. Hawkins, associate judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, has announced his candidacy for re-election, subject candidacy for re-election for his candidacy for re-election, subject to the democratic primaries next Ju-

fixed and sound precedent.

"In the event of my re-election,
I shall devote myself to the accomured up to the standard must be for of Russia.

"If any should desire to know something of my life they are rewhere I was born and where served as prosecuting attorney county judge and, for 16 years, as

# Secretary of State Board of Control

Miller refused to tell police his vers- late Sam H.Carter, effective April Examining trial of the murder charge has not been set and will not be docketed until Miller is ready to eave the hospital, it was said.

Mrs. Miller told police she and Miller had been divorced for some lime and that Miller came to see their children.

ith him for a little while.

"He started cursing and about that man of the board, and was unanimous the door opposed and father."

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# Boll Weevil Pest Survives Winter; Promises Trouble in Places, Washington Says

# on Prison Farms of State 10,500 Bales

# Years District Judge

ey died more than ten years ago. He is survived by two sons, Henry and Ivy, and a daughter, Mr. R. Girard, all of San Antonio.

#### Boys 2 Years Ago Knew Two Words of English Is Winner In Oratory

Tulsa, Okla., April 7.—The only nglish words he knew on his arrival in America four years ago were "knife" and "fork," and now Raymond Sandler, 12-year-old Em-

Before a large audience in the "In announcing as a candidate for re-election as judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas," said Judge Hawkins, "I deem it inappropriate to say more than that while I have been a member of the public school oration contest, sponsored by the Civitan club.

"Pay taxes, vote, serve on jurior."

"Pay taxes, vote, serve on jurie I have been a member of the court it has been my sole desire and effort to declare the law agreeably to the duties of the American as seen the duties of the American as seen constitution and statutes under well- by this young orator just four years out of his native country on the

plishment of the same purpose. To za, Latvia, thirty miles from the what extent my services have meas- Dusa River, in a country once part

#### Baby Drowned When Famliy Auto Drops From Road to Lake

Dallas, Tex., April 5.-Failure of the brakes to hold after the engine pawn shop where Van Harken was al has stalled on a steep hill was reswhich Betty Adeline Price 11 months old, lost her life, and four persons were injured here Sunday. The baby was drowned and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon S. Price and grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Price, narrowly escaped with painful injuries when a small closed car in which they were riding ment into a lake here.

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# Washington, April 7.—A relatively | Dallas, Texas, April 3.—A warning

department of agriculture as a result of a count of the boll wevils surviving the winter, made public last week.

A statement of the association comments on a report of the United States department of agriculture which states that the Texas emer-

# Five-Dollar Gold Pieces Plowed Up

which sold for \$903,134, George B. Roberto Molino, a poor farmer, untwo acres of late planting we picked

#### "Charleston Knee" Is New Cause For Rejecting Recruit

# Some of the Signs of Times as Motor

The following signs have been ob-Vashington and other cities: A Tin You Love to Touch. Don't Laugh at Me; You May Be

Old Yourself Some Day. Mah Junk. The Covered Wagon Four Wheels. All Tired. Sick Cylinders. One Hundred Per Cent a Merry Can. Danger! 20,000 Jolts. Don't Push Me Big Boy.

Little Bo-Peep. Keep Off; My Rear End is No Bumper.—Pathfinder.

#### Ungallant Guest Who Stole Hostess' Ring Is Given Two Years

San Antonio, Tex., April 3.— Charged with stealing a diamond ring from his hostess while he was a diner guest, Mathew Van Harken was prvicted in district court today and is punishment fixed at two years in

Mrs. H. Batz testified she showed Van Harken the ring and after he had left, it was missed. State witness

### Husband Finds Body of Wife in Well on Returning to Home

Lake Charles, La., April 7.—The lifeless body of his wife, Mrs. Irven Jensen, 41, plunged head foremost in vas given by relatives as the expla-ation of Mrs. Jensen's act. She was he mother of ten childeen.

# Man and Woman Are Shot to Death

ue fame, and Henry Kothe, 41, oint proprietor of the Three Hun-ired club, a restaurant, were found nual convention here today. shot to death today. Karl Kieferle, a recently discharged waiter, surrendered to police.

#### Story of How Dallas County Farmer Took Crop Record Prize

(Continued from Page One)

and this was the only time we could get the poison to stick.

The one acre that had the nitrate The blooms correspond practically to the difference in time of planting. gin opening and matured and opened more rapidly than the other two acres of early cotton and had no

and ginned. The one acre had at this ginning 3,091 pounds of seed cotton, 1,031 pounds of lint, 1,917 pounds of seed, 38 pounds of dirt

To give us our lives, for mothers will care,
Day after day with labor and love,
Month after month and year after and 105 pounds loss. The other two acres of early cotton had 3,614 By a Poor Farmer pounds of seed cotton, 1,100 pounds lint, 2,214 pounds seed, 46 pounds dirt and 142 pounds loss.

Oct. 7 we picked off the one acre

Austin, Texas, April 7.—The Texas prison system produced 10,500 bales of cotton in the 1925-26 season land grant, seven miles east of here, 2,114 pounds seed cotton. Off the 1,674 pounds of seed cotton and off

The two acres of late cotton had 782 pounds seed cotton, 282 pounds Than when I am trusted by mother lint, 484 pounds seed, 14 pounds dirt and 2 pounds loss.

Relative Yields
On Nov. 12 we picked off the one

Is Dead at Kerrville

Is Dead at Kerrville

Kerrville, Texas, April 7.—Judge
R. H. Burney, District Judge of the Thirty-Eighth Judicial District for the last twenty-two years, died penumonia at Uvalde April 2.

Judge Burney was holding court in Uvalde when stricken with invulenza, pneumonia developed a veek later. The body was brought of Kerrville Sunday and interment book place in Glen Rest cemetery, there his wife is buried. Mrs. Burey died more than ten years ago.

Is Dead at Kerrville

San Francisco, April 7.—Another missile was added to the barrage aimed at the Charleston, energetic dance, by Lieutenant Commander A. R. Mack, head of the recruiting office of the Twelfth Naval District hore.

Charleston knee, knock Inness, spavin, Charleston heart and flat feet are new maladies which affect are new mal

Dec. 1 we gathered 256 pounds of bollies off the two acres of early planting, which ginned out ounds lint, 128 pounds seed, oounds dirt and 44 pounds loss. Travel Makes Gain the two acres of late planting we got 1,474 pounds of boilies, from

which was ginned 351 pounds lint cotton, 722 pounds seed, 2 pounds dirt and 308 pounds loss.

Total Receipts Five Acres
One acre—first planting:
Lint cotton \$409.02
Cotton seed \$234.77 Total Expenses—
Rent land
Men hire, 88 hours at 20c ...
Horse hire, 85 hours at 10c Total net cash profit ......\$487.43

Forestry Association Meets. Freeport, N. Y., April 6.—Mrs.
Villiam Watson, fifty year old wife
f 'Sliding Billy' Watson of BurlesGilliam, of Dallas, 200 members opening address by President R. A.

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# TRUE COURAGE

By C. D. PERRY Wills Point, Texas (Dedicated to Ma and Mothers

Men have gone forth since ages old, To give their lives on battlefields, Armed with the power of murder-ous guns

And rapier blades of polished

Of all the bloody battles fought, Not one was worth one brave man's life; No victory won with human blood

Mothers of men with courage true, The courage that always stands the test. No matter how low a man may sink, His mother will always love him

Although our mothers are weak of

of me To know that my life from sin was free.

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#### Mother With Bobbed Hair and Gay Dress Spurned by Children

Kansas City, Mo., April 7.—A mother of six children was branded un-Christian in the Wyandotte county probate court by her two eldest daughters and a son because, they declared, she bobbed her hair and wore jewelry and bright colored

The mother, 31 years old, and her children, Helen, 13; Edith, 12; Roy, 10; Ella, 9; Katherine, 6, and Lester, have been separated for almost eighteen months. The children have been kept at the Mennonite Children's home. In March the children were made wards of the court and Mrs. Harriet B. Cole, police matron, was appointed guardian. An effort was made to find homes for the children.

The mother objected to putting the children in homes and asked that the guardianship be dissolved and phlet is one of a series by the same tax administration. that she be given the custody and author written to aid the formulation care of her family.

are of her family.

The motion to dissolve the guard-tax system of the state. ianship was heard by Judge Henry

"If I were to give you children back to your mother would you want to go?" Judge Meade asked Edith, Helen and Roy, who were in court.

Edith answered first. "No, Judge, we wouldn't," she said. "We don't think mother is a Christer of First Corinthians a woman should not cut her hair. She wears jewelry and bright colored clothes and we don't think a Christian woman Helen and Roy said they agreed

under advisement. He said he desired to learn more about whether the mother would be able to care for the children properly before he would give them to her.

#### Dame of 99 Years Leads Grand March at Dance in Maine

Scarboro, Maine, April 2.-Mrs. Mary A. Burnham has proven her sprightliness at 99. Yesterday was her birthday and she celebrated last night by driving four miles in a sleigh to lead the grand march at a dance in her honor at the community hall. She was escorted by her 76 year old nephew, Frank

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# Taxes on All Rural Lands In Texas Show Increase of 120 Per Cent Says Writer

to over \$13,000,000 in 1923."

A. Buechel and just published at

f the farmer's tax dollar, the county slightly more than 36 per cent and he district slightly more than 28 per cent. In 1914 these three govern-mental divisions divided the farmer's tax dollar as follows: State 33.7 per cent; county 42 per cent; district 24.3 per cent. This shows that the state tian woman. She bobs her hair and tax has increased while the county the Bible says in the eleventh chap- and district tax has decreased in the

period studied. The upward swing of taxes did not pinch the farmer between 1914 and 1919 because the increase was acnpanied, according to the study, by a corresponding rise in the pur-chasing power of the farmers' products, but since 1919 the taxation has ing power has fallen.

products was especially noteworthy part of the increased public expen- zine publishers. in the case of animal products and ses. ereals, including rice," said the pamphlet. "In the sections of the state where these products constitute the ourden has become almost unbeara-

more nearly kept pace with the rise tion.

s "a high overhead expense in the orm of high local bonded indebtedess on the one hand and a tremen-

#### Sanitary Rules for Labor Camps Issued By Board of Health

Austin, Tex., April 7.—Sanitation of emporary labor camps used by levee, Kinney, the attention of the state board of health, and advisory regulations in regard to the care of these camps the report of Miss Jean Campbell,

Poultryman in the South that ever went to England for Poultry. In labor camp the first provision made labor camp the first provision made should be for safe water. Pollution of long a time been used by school chilshipment of English White Leghorns make-shift water supplies is often dren is now being discarded in even paid more for my foundation stock the unprotected well and spring from appetizing lunches. It has long been port to the House and Senate the than any poultryman in the United States. The strain that I have has built privies. A spring should be prowon in more egg laying contests tected from such polluting sources by accomplish more in their school work, in 1924-1925 than any other strain. having a tightly covered concrete box and according to officials of the state Valley Calling on Write for catalogue, The Original, The Oldest Johnson Poultry Ranch in Texas. Wolfe City, Texas 4-8-t concrete cover, and concrete curbing connection with their work with the BLACK MINORCA EGGS for hatch- concrete cover, and concrete curbing connection with their work with the rural schools, endeavoring in co-oping, from pure bred stock, 15, \$1.25; A good pump should also be installed eration with the teachers to have per 100, \$7.00. Mrs. Ella Warlie, to prevent infection from dirty hands. 3-25-3 Any suspicious water supply should form and at least one warm dish. first be boiled before using for domes-POTATO SLIPS, April shipment tic purposes, but as this is a great in-

The next important sanitary probbody wastes. In regions where soil is tight and well packed with a clay body, some form of pit privy should be installed, and should be located at a lower level than source of water supply. In sandy, loose soils, it is de-KENTUCKY BEST LEAF TOBACCO sirable to construct chemical closets Guaranteed. 3 lbs. chewing \$1.00; or concrete vaults. Plans for these

Attention should also be given to Tobacco Growers, the elimination of mosquito breeding 3-25-4 places. Drainage and oiling of stagnant water should be resorted to in mosquito control, and care should be used in the construction of borrow

The disposal of garbage should be by incineration, burial or feeding to nogs. For burial purposes, a trench should be dug about 10 feet long, 1 foot wide, and 15 inches deep at the middle. When this trench is filled, it First aid kits should also be part of

# For Temple Speech Saturday, April 24

T. K. Irwin, of Dallas, candidate candidacy. His speech will be made in the afternoon but the place for peaking has not been definitely deeided upon yet. Law enforcement and prison reforms are being stressed by Mr. Irwin in his candidacy.

#### Abstractors of Texas, Austin. Texas. "Jake" Will Not Be Sold by Druggists After June First

Fort Worth, Texas, April 7.—Drug-gists who have not disposed of their stocks of Jamaica ginger will have to persons living outside this secuntil June 1 to do so under a new tion on the condition that they ruling of the treasury department, it bring evidence of good character.

After June 1, Jamaica ginger, or country before securing passports. only on prescription by a physician.

Taxes on agricultural land in Texas war led rural districts to assume of have increased 120 per cent since ligations requiring many years for the iquidation and imposing a considera-"The tax on rural land in 108 coun- tax burden, the author explains. Un- ment ties increased from \$6,000,000 in 1914 der this bouyant spirit, he goes on to "No corresponding increase in the roads, rural high schools, and irriprice of farm products has occurred." gations and drainage projects were "In some sections the rural tax undertaken largely on the basis of desire to call

> Professor Buechel warns that while the Texas landowner must pay more han double the tax he paid in 1914, this does not mean that the cost of administering state, county and local government has doubled.

"The increase in public expendihe said, "can be almost completely accounted for by a considera tion of two facts: first, the highe price level which prevails for all ma the tax dollar is expended. The ge eral price level of all goods is 50 cent greater now than it was in 191 Secondly, the various political juris dictions have during and since th war, undertaken for more ambitious

than in pre-war times.
"The fact that the salaries of most public officials are fixed by the concontinued to rise while the purchas- stitution is proof enough that gov ernment administrative expenses have

state as did the East Texas farmer. he proportion of the farmer's tax Papers, Southern Newspaper "The situation has been less seri- dollar which went for school and ciation and National Editorial Asous in the cotton, wool and mohair road district purposes shows a condition, both held that the presidentics of the state, since the purchasing power of these products has greater increase than any other sec- of second class mail into

The cause of much of the high tax- graphs, charts, and maps showing the or truck ation, according to Professor Buechel, relative proportion of taxes going to A boom in agricultural prices short- questionnaires sent to counties

#### School Gardens in Bee County Supply Lunches to Pupils

dens to provide vegetables for noonroad and irrigation crews is receiving day lunches for school children is an public health nurse, to the state board school menus contain milk in some

Another interesting report received school children who had undergone physical examination.

given in relieving the suffering of a this purpose. number of poor families afflicted with the flu; supervisory care of an old man suffering from a chronic sore leg; provision for the care of a boy of a poor family who was sick with typhoid; and attention given to number of undernourished children.

#### Passports Needed to Cross From Texas to Mexico From April 1

Brownsville, Texas, April 7.—In addition to the new immigration reor attorney general, has notified the cards, a photograph must accompany the passports. This was made known by C. J. Radonda, chief of the immigration service in Mataderstood to be general.

> effective, all persons are allowed until April 15 to provide themselves with passports. After presenting evidence of at least one year's residence within a zone of forty mile of the border and furishing two photographs of themselves applicants may secure their passports from the immigration official at the bridge here. The cards

Although the new regulation is

was announced here by Major Herbert
H. White, prohibition director for
Texas and Oklahoma.

The description of the United States must give proof that they have been legally admitted to the purposes for which Cardui is recommended.

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### Personal Checks Put Under Ban by Texas Department of State

Austin, Texas, April 7.—Personal hecks in payment of charter fees, ranchise taxes or other obligations ion by the attorney general's depart-

Although th secretary of state's deshow, many enterprises, such as hard partment has not made a practice of porrowed money. These enterprises that the secretary of state will from ble."

he said, were undertaken on the asThese facts are revealed in a pamsumption that war prices would last remittances to the secretary of state's situation, he states, are certain inher- Austin exchange, postoffice money or-

reasonof the fact that the attorney general has ruled in an opinion to this department that Article 3916, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, is in vio-

lation of the constitution. "The attorney general holds that under the constitution, and the law, ury, and that it is not within the bank as a depository."

### Revision of Postal Second Class Rates Asked by Publishers

revision of second-class postal rates, preferably to the 1920 scale, was urged on the joint congressional postal committee Monday by repre-"The decline in the price of farm been responsible for only a very small sentatives of newspaper and maga-

The study shows that almost twice American Newspaper Publishers' as large a proportion of the West Association, and George C. Lucas, Texas farmer's dollar went to the representing the National Publish In the black land area of the state ers' Conference of Trade and Farm channels such as express, freight o The study contains numerous transportation by automobile bus

various purposes and comparing dif-ferent sections of the state. Most of Department was less efficient, due the information on which the study mainly to diminution of railroad uous contraction of farm receipts on is based was obtained from the state comptroller's department and from ties should be used to overcome the ment utilized bus and truck trans-portation more, he predicted, railroads instead of appealing for in creased rates on postal matter, would insist on lower schedules to eet competition.

Mr. Lucas said 1920 represented the peak load of second-class mat-ter, with a steady decline in amount resulting from rate increase since then. Both he and Mr. Hanson con nded that these increases were

With certain amendment and ad organizations approved the second class rates provided in the McKel-

In an effort to expedite its re-

# Lady Bugs to Fly Back to Orchards

bug, lady bug, fly away home."
The nursery rhyme has assumed from the public health nursing service reality and now several hundred was that of Miss Celia Moore of Li- lady bugs must be ordered to supberty county, who stated that rural plant those that have disappeared school children were enthused with from the lower Rio Grande Valley thousand, 50 cents hundred; Tomalems deal with the proper disposal of the study of health rules; that young where they are used to fight scale the study of health rules; that young where they are used to fight scale mothers' classes were very much in- insects infesting the citrus trees terested in prenatal care; and that George B. Terrell, State Commis the correction of minor defects had sioner of Agriculture, said on hi been secured in a large number of through this section. Lady bugs, the only combatants of several of the damaging insects, were brought t Other parts of this report were to the valley some time ago, but thes the effect that two new junior health have disappeared, Mr. Terrell said clubs had been organized; arrange- The new ones will be brought from ments had been made for entrance of California, where they have prove three children into orphan homes; successful, and efforts will be made provisions made for a number of to propagate them in the valley, babies to receive life giving milk; aid few of the lot to be reserved for

Kentucky Lady Also Had Severe Headaches, But Says She Took Cardui and Pain Left.

Oakton, Ky.-Mrs. L. N. Neville, of his place, recently told of the sympoms with which she was once trou-Brownsville, Texas, April 7.—In addition to the new immigration regulation which became effective April 1 requiring persons crossing the border to show identification cards, a photograph must accompany the passports. This was made known by C. J. Radonda, chief of the immigration service in Matamoras. The regulation comes from the Mexican government and is understood to be general. it would strengthen me. In a short time I felt better. I took two bottles and this pain and weakness seemed to go out of my back. I took three bottles and could do my work with

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#### Will Rogers Finds Austin Ignorant of House's Big Power

The Worst Joke I heard today

(By Will Rogers)

accepted in the future, it was announced by Judge D. A. Gregg, chief Austin, after having in the audi-Austin, Texas. The night I played who by the way were a great audi nce, I was entertained at the home evening. He is the descendant of Republican Givernor ever had, and Niles lives in the old home and you can imagine what phlet on rural taxation written by F. for many years. Coupled with this department be made in the form of great old place it is. They have friends and really live in those towns. Austin has been the spo many a famous old Texas and World Political encounter. On the way out they showed me Colone House's old home. We had all jus papers and even these men wh vere raised right with him had no a man. He seemed to have been th im Ferguson of Wilson's admin stration. These men couldn't under stand how Mr. Wilson had run Princeton University before he ha made this intellectual connection. do like Austin and I want to get back there. Fine school! Good Fown! Good audience! It's got about

He told me this story: "I just go ut of prison this morning," said nan to his seat companion on mighty tough facing old friends."
"What are you kicking about? said the seat-mate. "You got cinch. I got to go home and just got out of the legislature."

Pork Barrel Fund Approved. Washington, April 3.- Expenditure \$35,000,000 for river and harbon evelopment projects, was approved onight by the house rivers and har

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

to announce the following candidate for the offices listed before their names, subject to the action of the democratic primaries to be held Sat urday. July 24, 1926:

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For County Clerk JOE ALSUP For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: W. M. M'DONALD. S. E. WHITE For Constable, Precinct No. 5: G. E. HAMRICK

### Ku Klux of Atlanta Ruled to Have Sole Right to Use 'Klan'

Indianapolis, Ind., April 7.-The ganization of Atlanta, Ga., holds sole udge Thomas W. Slick decided in a were perfected here April 2. in United States District Court ere March 31, in enjoining the Insing that name. Judge Slick di not rule on the request for \$500.0 lamages asked by the plaintiff. Tha plaintiff did not present cause for amages in its arguments and

prohibits the Independent Klan of America from using the name "Knights of the Ku Klux Klan The Invisible Empire Knights the Ku Klux Klan," "the Ku Klux Klan" or the "Klan.

# Wear Long Skirt and Win a Badge!

Chicago, April 6.—Wear longe kirts and win a badge is the ple f the All-Chicago Kiwanis club to

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